

CORRESPONDENCE

CORRESPONDENTS—It would be a great favor to the News and would insure items being published if you mail them so that we receive them on Tuesday. We always do our best to print them, but frequently the rush on Wednesday and Thursday is so great that all copy arriving late must be left over till the following week. Occasionally correspondence does not arrive till Thursday afternoon, in which case it finds the paper already out. This is purely for the information of correspondents and is not to be construed as a "kick," for we value these rural items very highly and are glad to get them even a week late.

It would avoid all possible confusion if all correspondents would sign each week's items.

EDITOR.

DEWEY

A silver medal contest, a social and ice cream supper will be the program for Saturday night, August 7th, at Salem church. The contestants are Harold Estey, Hugh Sterling, Herbert Daniels, Frank Moulton, Estey Busby, Hoyt Turner and Delbert Wilson. No charge will be made for the contest but ice cream and cake will be 10c. The proceeds for the benefit of the church and W. C. T. U. equally. The ice cream will be ready to serve any time after six o'clock.

Rev. Culmer will preach at Salem Sunday morning and evening and only once more on the 5th Sunday. We were sorry there was only one second Sunday in a month and now it is feared we are not even going to have a second Sunday, and Brother Culmer will sail his mental aeroplane in far distant atmospheres. So come out next Sunday and be sure of hearing him once more. It is the desire of the whole community that Rev. Culmer remain with Salem another year.

Mrs. Gaddis is home from a week's visit at Webb City.

Mrs. Cline entertained 30 of the neighborhood children Thursday afternoon. They were lodged by Chas. Daniels and after playing games Mrs. Cline furnished refreshments of cake, bananas and lemonade. These children belong to the flower mission department of the Salem W. C. T. U.

Marlin Stith is recovering from an attack of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews attended the Alpha social in Jasper, Thursday.

BETHEL

(Arrived late last week.)

Attendance at Sunday school last Sunday was smaller than usual.

Mr. Gearheart is visiting his daughter in Kansas this week.

Bert Quillen left last week for Wyoming to be present at the land drawing.

Miss Nora Lawless says they tell her it just takes fifty hard falls to teach any one to be a good bicycle rider, but she has fallen forty times already and can't begin to ride a half mile yet.

The meetings at Oakton, M.E. church are being well attended and a great interest is manifested. Brother DeCany will be here until Friday or Saturday.

Mrs. May Brown and her sister-in-law, Miss Floy Brown, arranged a birthday dinner last Saturday the occasion being the eighteenth anniversary of their sister, Miss Ethel's birth. As previously arranged, Ethel, accompanied by Mrs. Bulah Ruckel, was out driving and as they passed were invited to come in for a few minutes' chat. To Miss Ethel's great surprise, as she entered the parlor she found it filled with a number of her young lady friends. After a morning of pleasant conversation they were invited into the dining room, where a beautiful dinner was spread, to which the girls did ample justice. A special program had been arranged by the hostesses for the afternoon and each guest responded to her number willfully. Miss Ethel received a number of remembrances. Those present were: Mrs. Bulah Ruckel, Eva Lucas, May Brown, Misses Emma Yates, Leah Arner, Mabel Brous, Nora Lawless, Pearl Hefley, Ethel Brown, Blanch Bradford, Della Brous, Mary Hefley, Ethel Hyder, Mary Yates, Elva Sprawls, Vee Casement, and Floy Brown.

ZION

Threshing and plowing for wheat keeps our farmers busy these hot days.

R. T. Byers and son, James, of Waverly, Mo., visited the former's niece Mrs. Mary Curtis, Thursday.

Gladys Ballard and Ethel Adams took dinner Sunday at Will Strecker's.

Mettie Boyd spent the first of the week with her aunt, Mrs. Corn Covert.

Mrs. Greenwood and daughter of the Dewey neighborhood were guests at William Templeton's Sunday.

Ethel Simpson returned to her home in St. Louis Friday after a month's visit with Stella Covert.

Edna Ballard spent Sunday with Fern Powell.

Quit Business Sale

We lately received a brand-new shipment of HENDERSON CORSETS that we will sell at a big reduction.

\$.60 corsets go at	-	\$.45
1.00 corsets go at	-	.85
1.50 corsets go at	-	1.25
2.50 corsets go at	-	1.90

\$3.50 corsets go at	-	\$2.75
All ready made wrappers,		
worth 1.00 to 1.25 go at	.85	
Heatherbloom skirts, worth		
2.25 to 2.50, go at	-	1.75
Shirtwaists, worth 1.00 to		
1.25, go at	-	.75
Shirtwaists worth 2.00 go at	1.35	

Some very pretty silk waists, worth 5.50, go at - \$4.25
Silk waists worth 4.00 go at 3.00
Lace Curtains worth 3.75 at 2.75
Lace Curtains worth 1.50 at 1.25
Lace Curtains worth 1.25 at 1.00
All ribbons will be sold at ONE THIRD OFF.

We have quite a number of Cloaks and infants' Wraps that will be sold at a big reduction.

Fancy Feathers, Plumes and Wings at nearly Half Off.

Have also a swell line of Laces and Embroideries that it will pay you to buy whether you need them right now or not.

MRS. C. E. CAMPBELL

Willie Monroe of Kansas City is visiting his grandfather, J. W. Robinson.

Fred and Frank Isenmann and Edgar Strecker spent Sunday with Hershel and Harry Radford.

Stella Covert visited friends and relatives at Webb City the latter part of last week.

Minnie and May Sanford came home Sunday morning from Springfield, where the latter has been in the hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ballard took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Schoeler.

The W. C. T. U. gave a picnic on Mr. Keith's place last Saturday. The rain in the morning prevented many from going, but all who went enjoyed the day.

Mrs. Nora Boyd and children, Donald and Zelma, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Laura Klinefelter, at Webb City this week.

Mrs. Will Holderman spent a couple of days last week with her sister near Avilla.

Edna Ballard went to Columbus, Kansas, Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Grace Fairfield.

There was preaching at Zion Sunday morning and evening.

Greola Patrick returned home Sunday from Waverly, Mo., where she has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Robins of Greenville was the guest of Mrs. Tunnell one night last week.

LYNNLAND

Mrs. J. H. Dryden of Carthage made a business trip to his farm in this neighborhood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wine attended church in Jasper Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Lukens and Miss Adelaide Teter visited friends in Jasper Wednesday and Thursday.

While driving past a threshing machine Monday a horse belonging to El Landersbaugh became frightened and ran away. Mr. Landersbaugh and Mr. Byers were in the buggy and both were thrown out. Each escaped with a few bruises, but both shafts of the buggy were broken.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCune Saturday, July 31st.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wagner and son, Fred, leave this week for an extended visit with relatives in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cather left last Monday to visit their sons, Henry Cather at Fowler Kansas, and John Cather in Oklahoma.

Miss Lula Dixon spent the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Westcott.

BASE LINE

Fletcher Carter from Oklahoma was visiting old friends on the Base Line Sunday.

Mr. Williams and daughter Sundayed with Grandma Bayne.

There will be no ice cream supper at Salem church next Saturday night. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will give a free entertainment. Everybody invited.

Greola Patrick returned home Sunday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Joplin. Her sister, Leola, came home with her.

Ormal Bender returns to his home in Springfield Saturday.

W. S. Johnson and family and B. Bender and family visited with H. C. Bender Sunday.

Neighborhood Talk

Well, here we are again. The news has almost melted away these hot days.

Noah Lester's sister was visiting him Sunday. He hadn't seen her for 30 years.

Mrs. Grider's sister from Dade county was visiting with her last week.

Mr. Sharp's sister is here visiting him this week.

Mmes. Hyder and Milo Butler and children called on Mrs. G. H. Johnson's last Thursday.

Mamie and Bertie Hatfield and Miss Bertha Hyder spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Lucas of Blue neighborhood.

Bertha Hyder was a Lamar visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Washington's Plague Spots

lie in the low, marshy bottoms of the Potomac, the breeding ground of malaria germs. These germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility and bring suffering or death to thousands yearly. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "They are the best all-around tonic and cure for malaria I ever used," writes E. M. James, of London, S. C. They cure Stomach Liver, Kidney and Blood Troubles and will prevent Typhoid. Try them, 50c. Guaranteed by Webb Bros.

Newspapers Aid Children.

An experienced teacher says that pupils who have access to newspapers at home, when compared with those who do not, are better readers, better grammarians, better spellers, better punctuators, and read more understandingly, and obtain a practical knowledge of geography in almost half the time it requires others. "The newspaper is decidedly an important factor in modern life," she said. "This will not be disputed by any who have taken the trouble to investigate the matter."

M. E. Church South.

Sunday School 9:15 a. m.
Morning service 11 o'clock.
Lodge 7 p. m.
Evening service 8 o'clock
No services 2nd Sunday.
You are cordially invited to attend these services. F. A. CULLEN, Pastor.

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Aug
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14th



A. G. Baker, Agt.

Public Sale

I will sell at public auction at my place, the old Welsh farm, 6 mi. east and 1 1/2 mi. north of Jasper, 5 mi. west and 2 1/2 mi. south of Golden City, 3 1/2 mi. south of Maly, on

Monday, Aug. 9th

beginning at 12:00 a. m. the following described property, to-wit:

10 Head of Good Horses.—Brown mare 5 years old, mule col by side, 1300 lbs; Bay mare 13 yrs. old, colt by side, 1100 lbs; Gray horse 8 yrs. old, 1200 lbs; Bay horse 9 yrs. old, 1200 lbs; Span sorrel horses, weight of span, 2200 lbs; 2 good yearling colts.

17 Head of Cattle.—5 good milch cows; Shorthorn yearling bull; Yearling heifer; 3 yearling steers; 7 spring calves.

32 Head of Hogs.—32 head of good shoats, one male hog.

One well bred buck lamb.

Farm Implements, Etc.—6 ft. Deering binder; 5 ft. McCormick mower; Rock Island corn planter, and 140 rods wire; disc harrow; riding cultivator; disc cultivator; 3 section steel harrow; 16 in sulkey plow; walking plow; walking cultivator; hay rake; 2 wagon; buggy; hay frame; Superior wheat drill; seeder; 3 sets harness; set single harness; 20 rods woven wire; 45 acres corn in field; some hay and oats straw; cane and hickory corn; household furniture; DeLaval cream separator, good as new; blacksmith tools.

Usual sale terms, 12 months time.

T. D. Jackson.

Notice.

Our meat market will be open Sunday mornings until 10 o'clock. 3-117 CHANDLER BROS.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Lucy J. Winder deceased, that I, Myrtle Winder, Executor of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Jasper county, state of Missouri, to be held at Carthage on the 9th day of August 1900.

7-8 Myrtle Winder, Ex-ecutrix.

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